Rocks News

Rocks, Sept. 30.- The first frost fell here last night.

Tobie Inge had a sick horse Tuesday night.

Mrs. Rhomy Wilson and Mrs. Percy Carter attended the home makers' meeting at Appomattox Wednesday.

Mrs. Robert Rearn is sick with a cold.

Mrs. B. D. Dickerson spent a few days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Walter Ranson.

Miss Dora Jean Roach spent the week-end with Miss Majorie Ellen Williams in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Meadows.

Elbert Dinkins and Mrs. Louise Williams, nee Louise Meadows were married Friday afternoon at Rustburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Richardson and son, Frasier, of Norfolk were dinner guests of her mother, Mrs. D. R. Inge, of Pamplin.

James R. Taylor, who has been working at Ruesens moved his family there last Saturday. We regret to see them leave our community.

Mr. and Mrs. Hudson Dickerson spent Sunday at Brookneal with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Holt.

Lacy Almond had a corn fodder pulling one night last week.

Otis Ranson spent last week at his home here.

Harry Ranson and daughter, Louise, of Appomattox spent awhile

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last week with his mother, Mrs. W. F. Ranson.

Emory and Jim Frank Ranson motored to Burkeville on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Dickerson and son, Samuel spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ranson.

Promotion Day was held at the Rocks Baptist Church last Sunday just after Sunday School.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Garlinghouse called in the home of Mrs. D. R. Inge Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Percy Carter, Mrs. Walter Ranson, Miss Ruble Shanks and Mrs. Sherman Garlinghouse spent Monday with Mrs. Maude Ranson and Mrs. Rhomy Wilson.

G. H. Ranson spent a few days recently with his daughter, Emma Lou Ranson and grand daughter, Janice Anita, of Clintwood.

J. T. Jennings visited Claude Leffel Sunday.

Cassie Baldwin called to see Mrs. R. C. Baldwin and daughter, Jennie awhile Wednesday afternoon.

A W. M. U. prayer service for State Missions was held last Sunday night at the church just after B. T. U. An offering was taken.

Spout Spring

Spout Spring, Sept. 29.- Mrs. J. E. Dickerson is a patient at the Virginia Baptist Hospital, Lynchburg.

Mrs. Bertha Layne spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. Lucille Hardy, of Danville.

Misses Virginia and Margaret Almond gave a party Saturday night in honor of their brother Dewey Almond, who left for the U. S. Army Monday.

Miss Sue Davidson will begin a class in Home Nursing Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. D. H. Cyrus.

Mrs. George Hawley, who has been sick, is better.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Franklin are the happy parents of a baby girl.

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Bethany

Bethany, Sept. 30.- Private Bruce Paulette, of Fort Meade visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Paulette over the week-end.

Mrs. Larkin Harvey has returned from Petersburg where she visited her son, Jimmie, who is in a hospital.

Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Collins Jr. were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Paulette Sunday.

Mrs. Meade Crews and children and Mrs. Hugh Cabiness and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Paulette Sunday.

Miss Ora Pasulette spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Joe Paulette of Prospect.

Mrs. Randolph Evans and daughter, Nancy Lee are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Paulette.

As a whole, Virginia is having a record crop year.

Bright tobacco market in State now open.

MAIL SOLDIERS' XMAS GIFTS BEFORE NOVEMBER 1.

READ THE RULES—The following rules, issued by the Postoffice Department in cooperation with the Army Postal Service of the War Department, apply to the mailing of Christmas parcels for members of our Armed Forces serving outside the continental limits of the United States.

TIME OF MAILING—Christmas parcels and greeting cards should be mailed during the period beginning October 1 and ending November 1, 1942, the earlier the better. Each package should be endorsed "Christmas Parcel." Special effort will be made for delivery in time for Christmas.

SIZE AND WEIGHT—Christmas parcels shall not exceed 11 pounds in weight, or 18 inches in length or 42 inches in length and girth combined. However, the public has been urged to cooperate by voluntarily restricting parcels to the size of an ordinary shoe box and the weight to six pounds.

USE CARE IN PREPARATION—Remembering the great distance this mail will be transported and the necessary storage and frequent handling, it is absolutely necessary that articles be packed in substantial boxes or containers and be covered with wrappers of sufficient strength to resist pressure of other mail. Each parcel is subject to censorship and delay may be minimized by securing covering to permit ready inspection of contents.

PROHIBITED MATTER—Intoxicants, inflammable materials, poisons or compositions likely to damage mails are unmailable. No perishable matter should be included in parcels.

HOW TO ADDRESS PARCELS—Addresses must be legible. Parcels addressed to overseas Army personnel should show in addition to the full name and address of the sender, the name rank, Army serial number, branch of service, organization, A.P.O. number of the addressee and the postoffice through which parcels are to be routed. Units located within the continental United States may be addressed directly using name, rank, organization and location.

POSTAGE MUST BE FULLY PREPAID—The rate on parcels of fourth-class matter (exceeding eight ounces) being the zone rate applicable from the postoffice where mailed to the postoffice in the zone of which parcels are addressed.

GREETING MESSAGES PERMISSIBLE—Inscriptions such as "Merry Christmas", "Don't open until Christmas" and the like may be placed on the covering of the parcel if it does not interfere with the address. Cards may be enclosed and books may bear a simple dedicatory inscription.

INSURANCE AND REGISTRY—Gifts of value should be insured. Articles of small size and considerable value should be sealed and sent as first-class registered mail.

MONEY ORDERS—The Army Postal Service recommends use of postal money orders to transmit gifts of money to members of Armed Forces outside the United States. These are cashed at A.P.O. in local foreign currency at rate of exchange on date of presentation.

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Hixburg Items

Hixburg, Sept 29.- Revival services at the Presbyterian church begin Sunday night, October 1st. The Rev. Donald Carson, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Carson will preach each night at 8 o'clock through the following week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Carson and son, John were week-end visitors in Lynchburg.

Miss Barbara Hix left Friday last for Richmond, where she will take a secretarial course at Pan-American Business School. Mrs. J. T. Hix is expected home Tuesday from a visit with her brother, J. P. Harwood, Richmond.

Woodrow Carson has been transferred to California, where he will be in defense work.

Scrap Iron is being gathered in. Quite a few hundred pounds can yet be found, though a former collection and sale has been made.

Wilson Hix, Tom and Ruth visited in the home of A.R. Harwood Sunday afternoon.

The community rejoices in the continued improvement of Mrs. J. K. Marshall. She is now able to leave the hospital.

H. M. Marshall shows improvement by his doctor's advice to rest. We hope he may soon be back at his place of business.

The home demonstration club holds its regular meeting at Mrs. J. T. Hix's Thursday, October 1.

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"TALK OF THE TOWN"

Death of Mr. E. M. Stratton

E. M. STRATTON SR.

Ethelbert Marshall Stratton, Sr. died at his home near Stonewall Wednesday afternoon at 1:00 o'clock following an extended illness. Mr. Stratton was born in this county on October 22, 1863. He was the son of the late Peter Lee and Elizabeth Leftwich Stratton. He was a member of Bethel Baptist Church.

He is survived by the following children: P. Brent Stratton, W. Robert Stratton, Miss Elva Stratton, Mrs. G.W. Cheatham and Ethelbert Marshall Stratton Jr., and the following brothers and sisters: J. Alvin Stratton, E. Harvey Stratton and Miss Della Stratton all of this county.

Funeral services will be held this afternoon, Thursday, at 2:30 at the H. brew Baptist Church. Interment will be in the church cemetery.

We extend deepest sympathy to the bereaved loved ones.

National gas rationing to start November 22nd.

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In My Opinion . . .

By The Editor

NEWSPAPERS PARTNERS OF AMERICAN PEOPLE

The high regard with which the Free Press of America is held by the People of the United States is well put by President Roosevelt in a message to the newspapers of the nation, as follows:

"The observance of National Newspaper Week affords an opportunity to dedicate ourselves to the freedom that is as vital to us as our daily bread—the freedom to think and speak the truth as we see it. Our free press has not only survived—it is an essential part of the steadying ballast which enables our ship to ride the storm.

"War imposes grave new responsibilities on all of us, but upon no public servant does the responsibility for truth and integrity rest more heavily than upon the press. Theirs is the duty of keeping the people fully and truly informed. The American people are vigilant of their precious heritage of a free press. They will continue to regard it as their prime right hand in war as in peace."

Newspapers in the United States have become so good, so cheap, so plentiful, that most people do not stop to consider their great importance in the life of the nation and the daily lives of our people. They look upon them pretty much as they do the air they breathe. Yet they are the keystone of our American way of life.

In this connection the following article by Dean Kenneth E. Olson, of the Medill School of Journalism at Northwestern University, entitled, "The Newspaper is the People's Forum," will be of real interest to every citizen. We quote it in full:

INFORMED ELECTORATE

"When our founding fathers set up their new experiment in democracy, in a world still dominated by autocracy, it could succeed only if this new government had an informed electorate. They knew they had to be informed of what those rights were and whenever or wherever they might be threatened. That task they turned over to the newspapers of our young nation. They turned to the press as a necessary partner in the democratic government they were establishing. And from the beginning American newspapers have made their issues available to the public at only a small fraction of the cost of producing them. Today every family in the United States has access to one or more newspapers.

Since our political system rests squarely on the decisions of the people, the newspaper service conveys freely the information and arguments upon which these decisions are based as a necessary part of that system. The traditional American system of checks and balances in government includes not only the executive, the congress, and the judiciary, but also the press which functions as a check upon all three. It is no mere figure of speech to call the press the Fourth Estate in America for its function in our democratic system is as important as any of the three major branches of our government. The founding fathers felt that very strongly. Washington, Franklin, Hamilton all played a part in encouraging our struggling press.

YOUR OPINION COUNTS

One of the interesting things about our American way is that in our country your opinion counts. If you lived in Germany or Italy you could not have opinions of your own; if you did you would not even dare to breathe them. But in America we are ruled not from the top down; rather from the bottom up. Our political leaders owe their power to the consent of the will of the majority. Our people never let them lose sight of that. Neither does the press which makes the opinion of the people articulate. That is democracy.

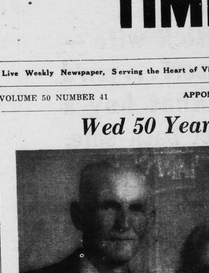
But democracy, for successful operation, calls for an informed, intelligent, common-sensible people, capable of judging the truth and competent to discern incompetency in public office when it appears.

Our founding fathers were wise in setting up two staunch rocks upon which our democracy could be built. Our schools, colleges and universities represent one of these rocks. Freedom of the Press and speech represent the other. A people with the foresight to support such a quate and universal education and also the right of individual expression of the opinions that emerge from such a mentally trained electorate has provided its citizens with a system of living which, if adequately protected, assures ultimately the greatest happiness and satisfaction for all.

Since the birth of our nation the newspaper has provided that protection for it has certainly been on the alert to protect the rights of the people, to call attention to the shortcomings or the encroachments of government. It has also been the principal medium for developing an informed electorate. Most of our young people today have the benefit of at least a high school education for the rest of their lives, the newspaper continues their education for the rest of their lives. Newspapers are truly the school-books of democracy.

From Hopewell News.

Wed 50 Years



Congratulations are in order for Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Jameson, of Pamplin, R. F. D., who recently observed their fiftieth wedding anniversary.

News about Appomattox Men In The Service

Appomattox Brothers in the Navy

James Vernon Torrence recently volunteered for duty in the Navy. He has completed his basic training at Norfolk, and is now stationed at Jacksonville, Florida. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Torrence Sr. of Appomattox. He writes that the Navy is fine.

Richard McDearmon, of Appomattox, was graduated this week from the Officer Candidate School at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, and has been commissioned Second Lieutenant in the Field Artillery of the U. S. Army.

Corp. Ernest Carter, of Manchester, Va., returned after spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Carter.

Sgt. Lawrence Moore, of Portsmouth, spent the week-end at his home here.

Jack Lawson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lawson, left Tuesday for Richmond, where he was sworn in the U. S. Navy.

Lewis Tweedy, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Tweedy, has signed up with the U. S. Marines. He spent Monday in Roanoke, where he was examined.

Pvt. Robert Mayberry, of Fort Eustis, spent several days this week at his home near here.

Corp. R. L. Burke Jr., of Camp Lee, was home for the week-end.

Sgt. Herbert Abbitt of Fort Washington, Md., spent several days last week at his home at Vera.

Sidnor Connor, of the U. S. Navy Training Base, Norfolk spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Connor.

Sgt. Carter Martin, of Fort Story has been visiting here.

George Cale, who has been at Fort Benning, Ga. is now commissioned as Second Lieutenant, and is stationed at Camp Walters, Texas.

Glenn S. Martin, Platoon 160, Naval Training Station, N. O. B., Norfolk, Va., returned yesterday after spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Martin.

Jessie L. Torrence Jr. (left) who has been in the Navy for one year, returned to patrol duty after being home on a leave.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Torrence Sr., of Appomattox.

Thanks to H. T. Terry Jr. for writing an interesting letter to the Times-Virginian's editor. His address is: 23rd School Squadron, Barracks 825, Scott Ill. He says he devours home news from the Times-Virginian. He and the editor were both St. Louis Cardinal fans!

Dear Mr. Robinson,

I am writing this for you to print in the paper about Charlie Johnston, who volunteered in the U. S. Army Aircraft Corps September 18. He is now stationed at Camp Luna, New Mexico. He likes it, and enjoyed the trip out through the States.

yours truly,
Mrs. Dudley M. Johnston,
Spout Spring, Va.

Dear Mr. Robinson:

At last I have settled down ready to begin my schooling. I'm really proud to be one of my Uncle Sam's nephews who is doing his bit for our great nation.

This place is rather small, but I'm getting along just fine and liking it right well. Today is really a beautiful Sabbath morning and most of our boys really enjoy going to church.

This course that I'm going to take will last only 16 weeks. In that course of time we will have 6 days and 2 nights of schooling each week. At graduation we will come out with third class petty officers rating. That gives us a lot to work for.

I'm hoping that you and all the rest of the Appomattox people are getting along just fine. To you and all of my friends of Appomattox I send my best regards.

Always,
Lathan Harvey.

(Note: U. S. Navy. We have Lathan's address if you want to mail him a card or letter.)

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Byron Cole is Appointed as Night Police

At the regular monthly meeting of the Appomattox Town Council Monday night, the resignation of J. T. Mitchell, town night policeman was accepted. Mr. Mitchell has accepted a position with the railroad.

The town has appointed Byron Cole to fill the vacancy as policeman. Mr. Cole has been working in Norfolk recently, but has accepted the town position and will return here to assume his new duties.

The town authorized the use of the town truck this week to haul in scrap iron in connection with the efforts of the local high school civics class to make a record collection.

L. D. Godsey was appointed as mechanic responsible for the condition of the town fire truck.

Ladies Night Scheduled

The Appomattox Lions Club will have its annual Ladies Night tonight. The occasion will also mark the anniversary of the club's charter, it will be held in the school cafeteria at 7 P. M. The ladies of the Methodist Church Circle will serve the banquet. Following the banquet there will be a Lion's sponsored dance at the "L and N" Center.

Sgt. L. H. Lee, 338 Bomb Sqdn, 96 Bomb Group, Army Air Base, Rapid City, S. Dakota.

Dearest Mother,

I do not have time to write much but wanted to let you know my new address anyway. I have only been here two days, but like it better than any field have been at out here. I am getting on much better than ever before and have been promised and new promotion very soon." * * * say "hello" for me and write soon. * * * Love, and a lot of it,

Lawson.

(Note: Lawson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Lee, of Appomattox.

Dear Mr. Robinson,

I have re-enlisted in the Navy, after previously serving five years, and now patrolling the Atlantic coast for Nazi submarines. Glad to be back, and like it fine. Am happy to know I'm in service as one of Appomattox boys, and shall try to do my best for my country. Advise every young man to enlist in the Navy for a future.

Very truly yours,
Willis Christian Carr r.
Petty Officer, First Class

Private William Mitchell spent the week-end with his wife.

Sherman Hunter, who entered the Army on September 14, is stationed in Savannah, Ga. If anyone wishes to write to him, his address is: Private Sherman Hunter, Co. C, 841 Eng. Bn. Avn., Hunter Field, Savannah, Ga.

Pvt. Emo Crews spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Phelps.

Frank Canada of the Navy and Kieth Armistead of the Army recently visited their parents.

Mrs. Ruth Jennings has received word that her son, F. F. C. Newton Jennings is recovering from an operation in New York City.

FUNERAL OF MR. E. M. STRATTON LAST THURS.

Funeral services for Mr. Ethelbert Marshall Stratton, Sr. were held last Thursday afternoon at 2:30 from the Hebron Baptist Church. Interment was in the church cemetery. Services were conducted by Rev. Chas. Spain, Rev. R. V. Redding, and Rev. A. L. Caudle.

Active pallbearers were: V. O. Drinkard, John Drinkard, Harry Isbell, B. D. Stratton, Marvin Taylor and John Alvis Jr.

Honorary pallbearers, also serving as flower bearers, were: Harmon Jennings, B. W. Hamilton, Tom Caldwell G. P. Jennings, Rufus Burnette, Crawford Davidson, G. R. Barnes, Joe Whitten, Davidson Carson, Sam Anderson, Lester Carson, Irby Wheeler, Dr. D. A. Christian, R. L. Burke, Ragland Featherston, Clayton Drinkard, Henry Routon, James H. Beard, John Alvis Sr., C. M. Caldwell, C. J. Hardaway, Chas. Eagle and John Burnett.

National gas rationing to start November 22nd.

RESIGNS PASTORATE TO ENTER ARMY AS CHAPLAIN

REV. C. A. COLLINS, JR.

Rev. C. A. Collins, Jr., pastor of the Evergreen, Rocks, Hollywood and Central Baptist Churches in this county has tendered his resignation, as of October 25th, to enter the U. S. Army as a Chaplain.

He will report for duty at the Army Chaplain training school at Harvard University October 28.

Rev. Collins has been a member of the faculty at the local high school this session.

He has had a most successful pastorate here. His countless friends wish him Godspeed in his new duties.

LARGE POTATO

A sweet potato weighing 7 1-8th pounds, grown by Rob Martin, of Hixburg was brought into our office this week.

Fuel Oil Rationing

Complete denial of rations of fuel oil for heating in apartment houses, and commercial, industrial and institutional establishments which possess the facilities to convert their furnaces to coal, was announced today by Paul M. O'Leary, deputy OPA administrator in charge of rationing.

Mr. O'Leary said that a large proportion of builders, all heavy users of fuel oil, including apartment houses, office buildings and manufacting plants, have furnaces that can be easily converted to coal. "The desperateness of the fuel oil situation demands that they do so," he said.

In no event, whether it be in a private home or a large manufacturing plant, will any establishment be eligible for a fuel oil ration if a new oil burner or equipment converting the furnaces from other fuels has been installed since June 1st, 1942.

Stonewall

Stonewall, Oct. 5.- Mrs. Willie Paulette, of Naruna spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Caldwell.

Mrs. Lula Morgan spent Sunday with Mrs. J. P. Alvis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Jobe Jr., of Gretone and Miss Louise Turner of Newport News spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Turnes.

Royall Harding, and Miss Shirley Harding, of Lynchburg visited Mrs. C. J. Harding here this week.

Miss Anne Carson spent Sunday with Miss Mary Archer Caldwell.

Misses Louise Carson and Rachel Chick, of Lynchburg, spent the week end at their homes here.

The Stonewall P. T. A held its regular monthly meeting Tuesday afternoon.

The Stonewall home demonstration club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. C. J. Harding.

The W. M. U. of Hebron Baptist Church met Wednesday with Mrs. G. P. Jennings.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Simmons visited friends here this week.

Mrs. John D. Ripley, of Lynchburg recently visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Anderson.

RED CROSS CLASS

The Red Cross class for Colored will start Monday evening at 7:30, October 12, at the Carver school. Everyone is eligible to attend. —G. L. James, county agent.

Marines on Guadalcanal Island are still fighting off Japanese landing attempts.

Appomattox needs boosters.

Georgia Tech defeated Notre Dame last Saturday.

School Class Has 30,000 lbs of Scrap Iron

Miss Carrie Pankey, of the local high school faculty, announced today that the school's collection of Scrap in the current Salvage drive as passed the 30,000 pound mark, and that by the time the present drive closes October 10th the Civics Class was hoping to enter a 50,000 pound total in the Virginia newspapers' $1,000 contest.

The Pamplin schools has also had successful collection of Scrap.

Outside of these two fine reports, the drive in the county has lagged. Latest report from Salvage Chairman R. B. Hudgins was that a mere fifty tons had actually been sold, and this was bright-ned only by the knowledge that probably another fifty tons from this county had been sold during the drive to out-of-county junk dealers. Added up, the county has about half the total aimed for.....and there's from now to Saturday night to do something about it!

It is probable that some 500 tons has been sold from this county since Pearl Harbor.

Scrap not collected by Saturday night will be collected as soon as trucks are available....for the collection of Scrap will go on and on for the "duration."

October Quota of Men For The Army

Sixteen white registrants from Appomattox County will leave here October 29th for examination at the Richmond induction center, it was announced. This comprises the October quota of white registrants.

Twelve Negro registrants went for examination October 5th. The following five passed: Samuel E.Robertson, Robert Patrick, Joe W. Scruggs, Percy Ferguson and John Sam Harvey.

A group of 19 men who passed in the September quota and had been home on furlough, left here for camp yesterday, and 11 others will leave here tomorrow.

Ration Board to Move Office

The Appomattox War Price and Ration Board has been authorized to move its office into new and larger quarters on Main St., in the Appomattox Hardware Company's brick building, next to the garment store. The office will be moved the first of next week.

Passed Quota on War Bonds

Judge Joel Flood has announced that Appomattox County exceeded its War Bond quota for August by $6,000, and on the basis of preliminary reports made its September quota.

Hixburg Items

Hixburg, Oct. 6.- Mr. and Mrs. Joel Watkins of Farmville called in the homes of H. M. Marshall and Mrs. E. W. Gilliam Thursday.

Mrs. Fred Cole, of Buckingham was a business visitor in town Friday.

Supper guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Carson Friday were Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Black, Miss Virginia Black, Mrs. Wilson Hix and Mr. and Mrs. J. R Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Martin have a baby daughter, born September 26th.

Mrs. E. P. Sears Mrs. E. M. Sears and Mrs. E. W. Gilliam called to see H. M. Marshall Friday P. M. Mr. Marshall is still confined to his bed.

Miss Ellen Wilson, of Glasgow, spent the week-end at her home here.

Revival services are in progress here this week at the Presbyterian Church.

Preaching services at the Baptist Church will be held at ten o'clock next Sunday instead of eleven o'clock, and the Sunday School at nine o'clock instead of ten. Please bear this in mind.